Preliminary Amendment

Applicants: Holloway et al. Serial No.: 10/085,167 Filed: February 27, 2002

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REMARKS

It is respectfully submitted that claims 1-8 and 16 are in condition for allowance, and notification to that effect is earnestly solicited. The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Agent at (206) 442-6540, if it is believed that prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Enclosures:

Response to Restriction Requirement Amendment Fee Transmittal (in duplicate) Petition and Fee for Extension of time (in duplicate) Postcard